

REMARKS

Claims 1-10 and 12-18 are all the claims pending in the application.

Applicant has amended claims 1, 12, 13 and 18, and has added new claim 19 to further define Applicant's claimed invention.

Applicant traverses the prior art rejections in the previous Office Action because the cited references fails to disclose all of the claim limitations, as amended. More specifically, none of the cited references disclose or suggest at least using a speech communication function while performing an information search using packet communication.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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